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To whom it may concern:

I do not have the opportunity to follow the trial or read the documents comprehensively because of little time from my project but I feel I must say something.

I find it very curious that the government is considering allowing Microsoft to extend their monopoly (by such things as providing computer related stuff to schools), something that the courts claim to have found them guilty of. Don't you know that Microsoft power comes from having many users?

If you claim that we are in a community with a government we should respect as looking after our interest, please do what would be good for your citizens. I can tell you a story of how I bought my recent laptop in which I payed for a microsoft operating system even though I did not ask or want to keep it. This should be a free country and a free market but yet you know all this and you still consider to increase their influence.

Please RECONSIDER this folly. We think highly of the government and would like to continue doing so.

Sincerely,

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